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### POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### REPUBLICAN CANDIDATES.

**For Sheriff, J. O. Harrington.**  
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Sheriff, subject to the decision of the voters at the Republican primaries, and would very much appreciate the support of my friends.

J. O. HARRINGTON.

**Wick Thompson for Sheriff.**  
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination on the Republican ticket for the office of Sheriff of Coconino county at the coming primaries and will be pleased to have the support of my friends in my candidacy.

WILLIAM (WICK) THOMPSON.

**Fred Garing for Supervisor.**  
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination on the Republican ticket for the office of Supervisor and would be glad to have my friends remember me on primary election day.

FRED GARING.

**Ed. G. Hamilton for Supervisor.**  
At the solicitation of friends in the west end of the county, I herewith announce myself as a candidate for the nomination on the Republican ticket for the office of Supervisor. I would appreciate the support of the Republicans of the county.

ED. G. HAMILTON.

**Fred W. Smith for County Treasurer.**  
I herewith announce myself as a candidate for the nomination on the Republican ticket for the office of County Treasurer of Coconino county at the primaries to be held on September 10th, 1918, and would very much appreciate the support of my friends.

FRED W. SMITH.

**Francis D. Crable for County Attorney.**  
I herewith announce my candidacy for the nomination on the Republican ticket for the office of County Attorney, and would very much appreciate the support of my friends.

FRANCIS D. CRABLE.

**L. C. Riley for County Recorder.**  
I desire to announce that I am a candidate for the office of County Recorder, subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the primaries to be held on September 10th.

L. C. RILEY.

**Hugh Campbell for State Senator.**  
I herewith announce myself as a candidate for the office of State Senator, subject to the decision of the Democratic electors at the primaries on September 10th, 1918, and would greatly appreciate the support of my friends at this election.

HUGH E. CAMPBELL.

#### DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATES

**For Sheriff**  
I herewith announce myself as a candidate for the nomination on the Democratic ticket for the office of Sheriff and would very much appreciate the support of my friends for that office.

TOM PULLIAM.

**Robert Erwin for Sheriff.**  
I herewith announce myself as a candidate for the nomination on the Democratic ticket for the office of Sheriff, subject to the decision of the voters at the primaries on September 10th, and would appreciate the support of my friends.

ROBERT ERWIN.

**For Superior Court Clerk.**  
I herewith announce myself as a candidate for the office of Clerk of the Superior Court, subject to the decision of the Democratic electors at the primaries to be held on September 10th. If you believe I can serve you best, you may be sure I will greatly appreciate your support.

TOM L. REES.

**Miss Irene Bart for County Recorder.**  
Miss Irene Bart desires to announce that she is a candidate for the nomination on the Democratic ticket for the office of County Recorder and would very much appreciate the support of her friends at the primaries on September 10th.

MISS IRENE BART.

**For County Assessor.**  
I herewith present my name as a candidate for the nomination on the Democratic ticket for the office of County Assessor and would greatly appreciate the support of my friends at the primaries.

J. G. HIGGINBOTHAM.

It has been reported and denied, also reaffirmed that the ex-tsar of Russia is dead, having been shot and killed, or executed, either of which is considered fatal in Russia during their present condition of unrest.

An official statement says that the German submarines are being sunk twice as fast as they are being manufactured.

#### FORD AND HIS SYSTEM.

Many people are reported as having broken their arms attempting to crank a Ford. The Democrats up in Michigan and in Washington, D. C., have been getting a strong "kick-back" on their attempt to put this pacifist and "internationalist" over on the Republicans. There is an undercurrent of public thought that does not vie strongly with such political methods. The whole people of the United States believe in two great parties—one to help "whang" the other into doing their best for all concerned. Under existing circumstances neither of the two great parties, comprising the better element of the whole people of America, believe that they should let their party dribble out into "isms," freak legislation, for loyalty is the main idea of the greater part of the people who love America and her great stretches of land where the people of freedom live. As fast as either party finds they are being dominated by the "isms" and freaks, there is a true combination of "all concerned" to break back to high ground and reform their forces to maintain the ground they have already attained.

"Propaganda" is not limited to Germany. We have much of it in our midst—propagated by that element that believe that it is "much easier to work a working man than to work themselves."

Lying to the average working man and spending his own money to prove it to him is one of the basic principles of that element in "getting away with the goods." Ford seems to be a fair sample of that element that is able to make millions from the laboring man and make him think that he is their great friend.

#### SECRET TO BLAME.

The New York World thinks it disconcerting to learn that suspicion of graft in war contracts is so widespread that raids were made upon manufacturers' offices in sixty cities; that an unnamed army officer has been sentenced to imprisonment along with his civilian agents, likewise anonymous, are operating in Washington. The World calls for publicity. Its call is both loud—and late. The system of secrecy with which the war department has cloaked all of its business transactions is in no small measure the reason why graft has been able to exist in war contracts. The World, of course, is after individual malefactors. What the country wants is reform in the system.

#### THE OUNCE OF PREVENTION.

It is now pretty generally admitted in Washington that had there been a joint committee of Congress to scrutinize war expenditures, as Senator Weeks and Congressman Madden proposed a year ago, it is altogether likely that the recent exposures of transactions involving fraud and loss to the government in contracts for the quartermaster's department would not have taken place. The committee was proposed in order to prevent just such things as Lieutenant Staley is now accused of. The President resisted the establishment of the joint committee on the ground that it would hamper the executive in the conduct of the war. But the proceedings now necessary to ferret out and to punish the wrongdoers surely cannot be held up as a speeding of the war. The pound of cure now necessary will take time, cost money, and delay real progress.

#### PRODUCE, NOT REDUCE.

A brilliant idea emanating from Prof. Garfield's fuel administration is to compel households to use next year only half the fuel and lights which they used last year. The excuse is that the visible supply of coal is not sufficient to go 'round. If Prof. Garfield had devoted half as much time and thought to increasing the production of coal as he does to inventing schemes to deprive people of coal, there would be no need for heatless days and lightless nights—and there might be no need for Prof. Garfield's services.

The competitive examination under civil service rules for postmasters to fill the vacancies at Flagstaff and Winslow, which jobs are worth \$2,000 or better, will be watched with interest by the innocent bystanders and general public. What's a scrap of paper compared to a political scrap?

#### WHANG, ON OUR BUNION!

Some appreciative Italians have made President Wilson a citizen of Florence, Italy, and Governor Hunt wants to make two newspaper publishers citizens of Florence, Arizona.—Douglas Dispatch.

The torrid zone is going to be about the most popular zone mentioned by newspaper men who have much of a mail list to make up under the new postal regulations. The idea seems to be to divide the United States up into principalities called "zones" and each zone is a foreign country so far as postage rates are concerned.

Interest in Los Angeles is very interesting. A widow woman borrowed \$200 from a loan shark, gave a mortgage on her home; paid \$600 on the note and still owed some \$700 odd when the shark wanted to foreclose, all within a couple years. The people hooked the shark.

Think of it. About \$250,000 pledged or paid for War Savings Stamps in Coconino county with more to hear from. Uncle Sam has been notified that there are several fellows around here yet who still have odd change in their old clothes and others who have not scraped all the corners off their till. Few had to be pickax handled.

The I. W. W. in this country should take a lesson from their Bolshevik brethren in Russia. Instead of a country with a government they are merely a mob wherein the strong rob the weak and where Germany takes them all into camp and makes slaves of them. Conditions in Russia today is the I. W. W. idea of an ideal government.

And they bought War Savings Stamps like heroes until the big battle was won!

#### DEAD MAN'S FLAT NEWS

By DOCK SOPER.

(Attorney at Law, Justice of the Peace, shoemaker, groceries, sold, hats, caps and boots and shoes, also laundry work when my wife is able, Friendly undertaking a specialty.)

We notice from the Verde Copper News that "Verde Squaw is preparing to sink." If she is like some we have seen we hope someone throws her a cake of soap.

The report that Missus Sponduller broke her arm trying to mix some "war bread" the other day, is plumb German propaganda. Her left foot slipped when she attempted to endeavor to kick a goose outen the back door.

Dock Swenk has concluded to go to war and not git married. His first wife is still living near Allermoney, N. G. While she is red, also cross, he don't think she will attempt to get across before he does. O, U boat.

Sugger is cheaper here, but a durned site harder to git. It is one of the things what the food commissioners are pulling up severil belt holes on. The new Weightress at the Nose Bag Rearestaurant is making up for a lot of the lackins in the arbutuckles dish, as per sweetness.

Severil cow-pokers had their shaps rent clean down to their birth garments last week owin' to jest what "W. S. S." meant. Jim Gitter thought it was the same W. W. L's, and he put out three or four "I's" before they could reckon him. When they got Jim hog-tied and explained, he said he only got hostile after he heard the first "W." Jim is so aggriviously loyal to his surrounding country, wherever it happens to be in the United States, that he hates to see a Sinner Fender even buy a postoffice stamp and attempt to lick it.

#### AMERICAN INVENTIONS IN WAR.

Eliminate American inventions in the great world war and the struggle would continue on less modern lines. American genius has contributed the telegraph, the telephone, the submarine, the most modern of the models of rapid-fire guns and the airplane. Even the tank, as evolved and used by the British, is nothing more than an amplification of the caterpillar invented by Ben Holt of Stockton.

As American genius thus has given to war its most effective and frightful engines, the same inventive talent may evolve greater machines and methods to oppose the destroyers.

And now concrete ships add to the wonderful sum total of American ingenuity, invention and genius.—Sacramento Bee.

#### INTERN OR INTER.

Colonel Roosevelt suggests a method of treating alien enemies and spies that would certainly be effective. The Colonel delivered the commencement day oration at the University of Indiana. He said:

"There are not many things I would copy Germany in, but would adopt her method of treating alien enemies and spies. Let us treat any man acting in the interests of Germany as Germany would treat men found within her borders working against her interests. We have carried good nature to the limit. From now any man who attacks us or our allies or stands up for Germany should be interned at once—interned unless his case is serious, if it is serious don't stop to intern him—bury him.—Los Angeles Times.

#### HUNT PROPAGANDA?

Recognizing the hopelessness of electing a Republican as governor, a good many Republicans are declaring their purpose of registering as Democrats so that they will be entitled to participate in the Democratic primary. Under the primary law there is nothing to prevent Republicans from nominating Democratic candidates. The primary law was passed in this state at a time when the Hunt machine had undisputed control.—Douglas International.

It is very generally conceded that the election laws of Arizona were built on a camouflage plan so misty and confused that all the rubber in India would have to be used before the law would permit of the opposition candidate being elected. Some day the people of Arizona, who have been led to believe that they have a right to vote as they seem fit, are going to rise up in a large mass and crucify the political machinery which obstructs the result of their vote.

At the trial of Private Frank Worm-ke, alias Frank Woods, one of the 112 I. W. W.'s being tried in Chicago, it developed that he was requested to teach sabotage in the army. Two forms of this sabotage which was practised by the organization was to put spikes in logs, concealed in the bark, to wreck mill machinery, and creating fires in the Montana lumber district was still another. Any one of these tricks is despicable enough in time of peace. In time of war it is rank treason and should be punished as such.

Kerensky and many more of the Russians have concluded that German peace only means "Gott strafe everything in sight that we don't like." The German's double-T "gott" doesn't seem to "strife" according to schedule.

If you see anything in The Sun you do not like, cut it out and send it to the editor with return postage of five cents. If we agree with you we won't return the postage. If the whole sheet is disagreeable to you, send two dollars and we will prove to you that we can keep it up for a whole year.

#### BOB ERWIN IS OUT FOR SHERIFF NOMINATION

Our old friend, Robert Erwin, commonly known as "Bob" over this section of the country, is the latest one to announce that he will be a candidate for the nomination for sheriff on the Democratic ticket. Aside from his peculiar idea of using the Democratic brand of politics persistently and insistently, Bob is about as human a man as one ever met, and if you have to be arrested he will do it as delicately, politely, but as positively as any man in the country.

Mr. Erwin moved in to this country some twenty-five years ago as an employee of the Santa Fe and stayed with them until a few years ago, when he organized the Erwin Fuel Company, with headquarters at Gleeed. He has been deputy sheriff for several years and has a good working knowledge of the sheriff's office as well as the conditions that prevail in this county.

In reality, "Bob" is what the English call a "good sportsman"—in other words, a man who does not think that the whole system of worlds was invented for his especial benefit; he is willing to take his chances with the average American citizen with the feeling that he is merely one of them.

Four thousand lumbermen in Montana will be reached in a food conservation campaign this summer. The home demonstration agent of Flathead county, working under the United States department of Agriculture and the state agricultural college, is co-operating with the men employed by the camps to teach conservation to the cooks. A food-saving program has been planned, with which this special demonstrator will reach every camp in the state.

#### TO THE PUBLIC.

Under a recent bill passed by the last legislature, giving the right to qualified voters, that are in the military or naval service of the state of Arizona or of the United States, to exercise their right to vote, it was made my duty to make and complete before the 20th day of this month what will be called and known as the Military Register. In this register I have to show the name or number or other designation of the division, regiment, company, troop, vessel or other command in which the absent voter is serving.

In order to complete this register on that date I hereby appeal to the relatives and friends of the boys that are now in either the military or naval service, for the last address which you have heard from.

Kindly phone or drop me a line or let me know how I can secure the address, as I want to do everything that is in my power to give each and every boy a chance to vote.

Thanking you for your co-operation, I am  
Respectfully yours,  
DAN J. CRONIN,  
County Recorder.

(July 5-12-19-3t)

#### TOM REES CANDIDATE FOR SUPERIOR CLERK

The office of clerk of the Superior court has to do with all the important records of the county and the people, covering every legal phase of civil life from the cradle to the grave. An office where there is exceptional need for a man of especial ability to "keep the record straight"—error by accident is as bad as the accident by intent, for they amount to the same so far as the litigant is concerned in most cases. The friends of Tom L. Rees, who have known him for many years as clerk of the board of supervisors and in other work during his residence in this county, are confident that a better man could not be found to fill that important office.

Mr. Rees has had the advantage of a normal school education, has taught school and served a number of years as deputy clerk of the courts of Franklin county, Ohio, later being connected with Bradstreet's Commercial Agency. He has had the necessary

training to make him a most valuable man as clerk in the office of the Superior court. A man who has convinced people of all parties during his past few years' service as clerk of the board of supervisors that he is capable and conscientious in all his acts. He has been elected twice as school trustee of the Flagstaff school district, a position of responsibility where criticism is the only pay, but has never before asked the people of the county for an elective position.

It is rather difficult for his Republican friends to understand just why he is a Democrat, but he sticks to that side of the game when he knows that he has been practically eliminated from being a candidate for the presidency. However, the thing he is most interested in at the present is the result of the primaries on September 10th, next, when he hopes that his Democratic friends will show their direct interest in his success.

Lost—A subscriber, the other day, because The Sun didn't fit the shelves of the new house—just as though they couldn't have built the right size shelves.

## War Savings Stamp Day



#### WHEN YOU SEND MONEY AWAY

A BANK DRAFT is the most satisfactory way to remit money to other cities. Rates are lower than post office or express orders.

A Bank Draft is cashed by any bank anywhere. If lost, payment will be stopped on the original draft, and a duplicate issued.

We transmit funds by telegraph or cable for a nominal charge above the cost of message. This is a great convenience when an immediate transfer of money to some distant point is necessary.

## The Citizens Bank

CAPITAL \$100,000

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## STATEMENT

Condensed from Report to the Comptroller of the Currency by

## First National Bank OF FLAGSTAFF

Showing Condition on June 29, 1918.

### RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts .....	\$170,996.77
Overdrafts ..	.54
Cash and on Deposit with Other Banks .....	139,604.60
Stock of U. S. Federal Reserve Bank .....	1,500.00
U. S. Bonds Securing Circulation .....	50,000.00
U. S. Bonds Securing U. S. Deposits .....	2,000.00
Other Bonds Securing U. S. Deposits .....	1,000.00
U. S. Bonds Owned and Unpledged .....	8,700.00
Redemption Fund with U. S. Treasurer .....	2,500.00
W. S. S. and Thrift Stamps .....	449.85
Furniture and Fixtures .....	NONE
Real Estate .....	NONE
Other Resources .....	250.00
	<b>\$377,001.76</b>

### LIABILITIES

Capital Stock .....	\$ 50,000.00
Undivided Profits .....	3,496.18
U. S. Federal Reserve Rediscounts .....	47,289.46
Other Rediscounts .....	17,390.13
Bills Payable .....	NONE
Certified and Cashiers' Checks .....	1,235.65
National Bank Note Circulation .....	50,000.00
Deposits ..	207,590.34
	<b>\$377,001.76</b>

Can you, and do you, figure the reserve shown by your bank's periodical statements? The percentage of reserve is the chief test of a bank's conservatism and the main measure of its regard for the safety of your deposits.